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Provincial Items.

CANADA.

We have dates from Canada to May 10, Nova Scotia and New Brunswick to May 3.

The deficiency in the Canadian revenue for the past year, amounts to \$763,000.

After all that has been said about the purchase of arms, in Montreal, for the American belligerents, the fact is very few have been obtained. With the exception of about six hundred light guns, of German manufacture, hardly any small arms were obtained in Montreal. These were found unsuitable, if not unsafe, and even declined by the Agent of the American Government. In one store, at Montreal, thirty-five English muskets, with bayonets, were obtained. But so small was the stock there, that no more than two hundred can have been purchased. Those obtained were, we believe, chiefly of not entirely, for the Ohio volunteers, on whose account an agent was sent forward.—*Toronto Leader.*

At a time like the present, it is natural that any movement of troops on the Canadian frontier should give rise to unfounded rumors. When, a few days ago, a number of troops were moved from Quebec to Montreal, the rumor was set afloat that there had been a riot at Griffintown. Another story was, that an attempt to injure the canals and arrest the navigation of the Upper St. Lawrence was made. The truth is it was deemed prudent to send a hundred troops to St. Johns, to take care of the arms and other military appliances, at that place. They were dispatched from Montreal, and those sent from Quebec went to replace them at Montreal. There may be other places on the frontier, in the same position as St. Johns, to which it may be deemed advisable to send a few troops, as a matter of precaution. This is the sole reason for the movement of troops which has given rise to so many rumors. At Quebec, we believe the whole force is only about 600, though it has been usual to have two or three thousand there.—*Ibid.*

It is stated, on authority, that His Lordship the Bishop of Montreal, Metropolitan of Canada, has summoned the Provincial Synod to meet at Montreal on Tuesday, the 23rd July next. The Cathedral of Montreal will be consecrated on the 25th, the Festival of St. James; and if the Kingston Episcopal Fund be completed, so as to allow of the election of a Bishop before that time, the interest of the day will be increased by the consecration of the new Bishop of Kingston.

The St. Catharines Journal says: "There is trouble in the Niagara Post Office, caused by a defalcation of some \$1,000 on the part of the postmaster, Mr. Robt. Connor, who has been suspended, and a man named Ross, a mail conductor of one of the railways, has been placed in charge of the office."

A destructive fire occurred in Peterborough, April 26. About 11 o'clock an alarm of fire was given, and in two hours the range of frame stores from the corner of George and Hunter streets, south to Claxton's buildings and east to Fisher's Hotel, was one mass of flames. These buildings with Fisher's Hotel were all insured. Loss about \$20,000. The buildings were owned chiefly by Samuel Dickson.

The farmers in the neighborhood of Dumfries are complaining lately of the injury done to the wheat crop by the late frosts. Some of them talk of ploughing up their fields, believing the crop to be a total failure.

On Tuesday night the barn and sheds of Mr. George Saur, of Chinguacousy, near Churchville, was totally destroyed by fire. A considerable quantity of grain and hay in the barn, and five valuable horses were burned. Also carriages, harness, etc., of considerable value. It is not known how the fire originated. We understand the buildings were insured to the amount of about \$1,000.

A return to an address for a statement of the Government balances in the bank of Upper Canada since January 1859, shows the smallest amount was in February of that year, \$412,433, and the largest in November, 1859 \$1,663,105; only three times in 1859 was the net monthly balance below a million, and in 1861 it has always exceeded it.

The Quebec Chronicle says Parliament will, in all probability, adjourn during the second week in May, by which time all the most important bills now before the House will be disposed of.

The census enumerator has discovered a couple living in the township of Fifth, Stormont county, Canada, who have twenty-six children, all living in the same house.

A destructive fire broke out on Huron street, Collingwood, on Sunday morning, causing the destruction of five dwelling houses, besides a large amount of other property. The houses destroyed were, one belonging to a person named Ollman, (unoccupied), Mrs. J. Rennie's, Mr. D. Forrest's boot and shoe store, and Mr. D. Hocking's, saloon-keeper. The next house, belonging to Mr. Yanne, was also in danger of being burnt, when it was deemed prudent to pull it down in order to save the whole of the houses on the street.

Dr. Rae, in a paper read before the London Geographical Society, recently stated, from personal experience, that the extreme cold of Iceland was less than that experienced in Canada, the mercury in Iceland rarely falling below 15° to 15° Fahrenheit.

In the Canadian Parliament, April 17th, Mr. McDougall stated that if the evils consequent upon the union of Upper and Lower Canada are not remedied, an alliance will be made between Upper Canada and the Northern States.

NOVA SCOTIA.

The people of Yarmouth were to celebrate the centenary of the settlement of that town on June 19th.

At a meeting of British residents in Boston to form a volunteer company, out of a committee of seven there were four Nova Scotians—Messrs. G. M. Halliburton, B. G. Gray, H. Crosskill, and Alfred Whitman.

According to the census returns, we learn the population of the County of Halifax, including the city, amounts to about 48,500.

Specimens of gold discovered at the new diggings near Tanquer, arrive in the city almost daily. Two men are said to have made about \$100 in two days, recently.

Some very fine specimens of gold from the new diggings at Tanquer, have been exhibited recently in Halifax. It is said the quartz veins at Tanquer will compare favorably with those of California and Australia.

The organ of the Sons of Temperance, the *Abolitionist*, says: "In the city of Halifax it is estimated there are 350 groggeries of all kinds—including confectionaries, saloons, hotel bars, grocery establishments, wine store, &c., not forgetting the cellars and garrets."

The directors of the Union Bank have purchased the lot of land on which stood the store of Messrs. W. M. Harrington & Co., at the corner of Hollis and Pine streets, and also the lot to the eastward, where the Halifax Library was.

The population of the county of Halifax has increased about 9000 since 1851.

NEW BRUNSWICK.

The *Colonial Empire* says a private letter to a gentleman in New Brunswick states that the Governorship of that Province has been offered to a person of rank, now holding an official position in Downing street, and that if he decides on accepting the position, he will probably arrive in St. John early in June.

The ice on the St. John River was firm on the 11th inst., and the *News* says it is likely to continue so till May.

The New Brunswick Government was sustained, on a division in the House of Assembly, on the 11th inst., by 22 to 17.

The New Brunswick Legislature was prorogued on the 12th of April. There is nothing important in the speech of the Lieutenant Governor.

The election for the Mayorality of St. John will take place on the first Tuesday in May. The card of W. O. Smith, Esq., formerly an occupant of the Mayorality Chair, has appeared. The present incumbent, Thomas McAvity, Esq., will also be a candidate; and S. K. Foster, Esq., Alderman of Queen's Ward, intends coming forward.

The boom at the mouth of the Aroostook river was carried away by the freshet on Monday week. (15th April.) There was a large amount of timber in the boom at the time which was all swept away. The Aroostook Times learns that the St. John river at Woodstock was black with the running logs. The value of the lumber lost is estimated at over \$200,000 to \$300,000, and must fall heavily upon a few. Some parties lose the whole of a winter's operations.

The following regulations have been issued relative to the employees in the Land Department:

"No Local Deputy, or other person holding an office under, or employed in the Crown Land Department, shall, while holding such office or employment, directly or indirectly, purchase any ungranted public lands or timber berth, or deal or traffic in the same, either in his own right, or by the intervention of any other person, or in the name of any person in trust for him; nor shall he act as agent for any person in the application for, or sale of any public land or timber berth, or take or receive any fee or emolument for negotiating or transacting any business connected with the duties of his office or employment, beyond the compensation appointed for his services by the Government."

"Any Local Deputy, Officer, or Clerk, in or under the Crown Land Department, or any Commissioner for Labor to be performed in payment of Land, who shall violate any of the foregoing Regulations and Instructions, shall forfeit his office or employment."

NEWFOUNDLAND.

There has been 73 vessels fitted out this year for the seal fishery, comprising 9,220 tons, manned by 3,836 men, being a decrease of 7 vessels as compared with 1860.

Up to the 18th inst., 266,327 seals had been received at the different ports in Newfoundland.

Frightful Scenes in Poland—Russian Brutality.

The Warsaw correspondent of the London Times gives the following account of the frightful scenes at Warsaw on the 5th of April. The disregard of death by the people seems most remarkable, and shows that Polish nationality has still an existence:

Monday brought with it that uneasy, restless, insecure feeling which usually forebodes a storm. It was a Roman Catholic holiday. As is customary, all the shops were closed, all the workshops empty, and the population of the town for the most part were in the streets. The early part of the day passed without disturbance; but toward five o'clock it was evident that something was about to occur. Streams of people—men, women, and even children—were seen trending in one direction, and that toward the Vice-Royal Castle. At about seven o'clock up went three signal rockets, and then three guns sent their booming signals over the town. We all knew too well that the work of bloodshed had begun. In a very few minutes squadrons and detachments of cavalry and Cossacks were rushing through the principal streets to take up their pre-arranged positions. Every open space was occupied, every commanding position secured. And then was heard the fire of the infantry in the distance.

It was a terrible moment. Citizens, grant them misguided if you will—grant them assembled on purpose to make demonstrations against the government—but still citizens, unarmed, unresisting, to be shot down like dogs! Surely this is not work for the nineteenth century and for civilized Europe. The crowd had collected in very large numbers, and a drum or war was sent among them to bid them, by beat of the drum, to disperse. This was repeated three times, but without effect. Indeed, how should it have been otherwise, for many had that morning received the last sacrament, and were prepared to die! The order was then given to some squadrons of mounted Gendarmes and Cossacks to charge with drawn sabres. This they did, wounding many, but still the crowd would not move. Then went forth the word of command to the infantry to fire. The scene, I am told, had something of the sublime in it. Men and women stood up before the level muskets and repeated the order, "Fire!" Mothers held up their babes and re-echoed the cry "Fire!" The disregard of death was something awful. Then came three crushing volleys in quick succession. The accurate number of the killed and wounded, per-

haps, will never be known. The viceroy, in an official statement published in some of the papers next day, acknowledges 10 were killed and 108 wounded; but the number was much greater. The corpses were at once seized, and many wounded also, and dragged within the court of the Castle. The crowd, running for shelter into the nearest streets, was met by other bodies of troops and attacked.

At one point they were hemmed in between two masses, and, falling on their knees, commenced singing a hymn. Even in this posture shots were fired amongst them. In the exasperation of the moment two soldiers were killed and several seriously wounded. Two young students, intimate friends, were there together in the front rank. One fell dead, shot by the soldier opposite; his friend seized the soldier's bayonet and killed him on the spot. Little by little the crowd dispersed, and the streets were cleared by mounted patrols of Cossacks, with their lances all in rest. Meanwhile, in answer to the signals, regiment after regiment of the infantry had been marched into the town, and now occupied all the squares and open spaces under arms. Night closed in upon a city held by a hostile army, not protected by its own peaceful civil government.

Such were the events of Monday, April 8th. During the night bodies of police, supported by troops, went through the town to all houses where it was supposed there were any dead or wounded, and removed them to the Citadel. Weeping women were thus deprived of the only solace left them—that of tending their sick, or bearing their dead to the burial. I say nothing of the dead; but that the wounded should have thus been removed from the custody of their relatives I say was inhuman. The troops invoked on the spot they had occupied during the evening and next morning the town presented the appearance of a vast camp—infantry, cavalry, artillery and Cossacks filled every open space. Patrols constantly passing along the street, and commissariat wagons, with food for the troops, accompanied by armed escorts, were seen at intervals on their way to the several positions. During the day excitement ran very high; but happily, there was no serious disturbance. Whenever crowds collected they were dispersed.

Individual acts of violence occurred. Soldiers bore the national mourning from those who continued to wear it, and collisions took place in consequence, in which wounds were received, and, I am told, life was lost. Crowds of men and women went to the churches to receive the sacrament, not knowing when death might overtake them. The prevalent feeling all day (as it has been up to the moment at which I am writing) was one of uncertainty and insecurity. But there is no change whatever in the popular mind. They are ready to be shot down again to-night, or to-morrow, or whenever the time comes, unarmed, unresisting as they were on Monday night. I have talked with members of workmen's families, and in that class they are equally ready to be victims, and equally purposed not to resort to force. Still, they will make their wishes known. "Government must and shall hear us," they say, or Europe shall!

The Russian Government is at this moment buying a great many horses in Germany for the artillery and cavalry, and is preparing immense quantities of camp materials and stores of all sorts. From the same source of information we learn that the persons arrested in Warsaw, in consequence of the events of April 8, are divided into categories—the first comprising the individuals that are least compromised, who will be sent to the fortress of Modin, where they will pass six months; the second, comprising the young men who were dragged into the movement, will be incorporated in the infantry regiments of Caucasus; and the third, the individuals regarded as the ringleaders, will be incorporated in the frontier regiments of eastern Siberia. These rigorous measures, if they should be carried into execution, will produce a painful impression throughout Europe.

Advices from Warsaw to the 15th instant, state that the system of repression was extended there. The negotiations with the Polish leaders until then had been without any result. The troops bivouacked in the public squares. Foreigners entering Poland are subject to a strict examination.

Cracow, April 17.—The state of things at Warsaw is unchanged. Arrests continue to be made. The number killed, wounded and arrested, amounts altogether to 1,000. The exasperation of the people is increasing throughout the whole country.

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Friday Morning, June 21, 1861.

The Coast Route Exploration.
Every year since 1858, some one has attempted to explore a coast route to the mines. In 1858, Major Downie and Mr. McKay crossed from Howe's Sound to the Lilloet trail. In 1859, Messrs. Colledge and Harrison crossed the coast range into the open country from the Bentinck Arm, but returned for want of horses to carry them through to Alexandria. In the same year, Major Downie also crossed to the Fraser by a northern route, some 500 miles in length, but too far north to be of any great value to the miners of Cariboo. In 1860, several exploring parties started from Alexandria to find a short route to the coast; but their explorations turned out to be failures. It remained for Messrs. Kenny and McKenzie to solve the problem this spring by actually crossing from Alexandria to the South Bentinck Arm in a nearly due west course. Singularly enough, at the very time they were on their way to the coast, Mr. Waddington proposed the exploration of a route from Bute Inlet, and when they arrived here the money had been subscribed to carry out the project. Such then is a brief history of the coast route explorations since the era of the gold discoveries in 1858. For three years they have been before the country, and with the solitary exception of the Bute Inlet project, every one of the exploring parties have been sent by British Columbia, and nearly all have been paid for out of the British Columbia treasury. If we are correctly informed, nearly £1000 has been expended in order to find a short, expeditious, and inexpensive route from the coast to the interior, but without success.
Now that one route has been discovered, and another more desirable and believed to be equally practicable has been proposed for exploration, we are met by a contemptible "body of no-bodies" with a cry of "fizzle," "ridiculous scheme," "erating ill-feeling between the two colonies," getting "all the Fraser River towns opposed to us," and an infinite amount of such hair-brained nonsense. Such trash amplified may do for those who deal in trash for a living; but a whole library of it is worthless so far as influencing sensible people is concerned. It is facts that sensible people deal in—not imagination, nor even spumy declamation. And what does such trash amount to in the face of the fact that British Columbia, through her Governor, her government, and her people have been agitating a coast route for three years, and have at last found it? To nothing; except to cover the dealers in the article with shame, when it is found that British Columbia is the party that has been most anxious for a coast route, or to explore the coast to see whether a practicable route existed. And there were good reasons why she was in favor of it. If there was a better route to reach the interior than by way of Fraser, the traders and packers wanted to get on it. The cheaper provisions could be introduced into the interior, and the more money the miners would make, and the more money the packers would make, and consequently, the more money the packers and traders would make. It is population—miners—that every enlightened trader or packer in New Westminster, Douglas, Hope, Yale, Cuyoosh, or Lytton wants. They are not a class who wish to make fortunes by saving sixpences during a lifetime, or who will refuse to risk making a rapid fortune for the sake of a town lot or a board shanty. In fact, the most anxious people to-day for a definite settlement of the long-argued question of a coast route are the British Columbians. The miners of Cariboo want provisions cheaper and more plentiful. The traders and packers wish to avoid competition with the Oregon packers. They want to know whether a shorter, more expeditious, and less expensive route exists. If there is no such route, then they want to make permanent improvements; want to make investments with regard to the future. But just so long as the Government of British Columbia, as well as private parties there, agitate the question of a coast route, just so long will the miners, traders and packers be anxious about the matter. It amounts then simply to a duty incumbent on the Government of British Columbia to explore the coast for a route to the interior. It ought to have been more effectually explored long ago. But to postpone it now is impossible, if due regard be paid to the wishes and interests of the people.
The Government ought to settle three points; and the sooner they are settled the

better. The first: is there a good coast route to the interior or not? Second: is Fraser river the best route? Third: can either or both of these routes be opened so as to stop the introduction of merchandise into British Columbia from Portland and the Dalles, without resorting to heavy fines on the boundary? It is of the greatest interest to the country that these questions be answered correctly and immediately. The Kenny-McKenzie route has been declared a good one by the discoverers. It is not a Victorian route as some would have it, but a British Columbian route. We want to see the statements of the discoverers verified by government, although we fully believe that a good route exists there. The Bute Inlet project, so far as latitudes and longitudes give correct data on which to found a conclusion, certainly presents the best recommendations for exploration of all the coast routes yet projected. It is shorter as the bird flies than the Kenny-McKenzie route; in a straight line to Alexandria it is as near as Cuyoosh, and nearer to Cariboo than the latter town. The only question to settle as regards Bute Inlet, is a practicable pass through the Coast Range. If that be discovered, we may bid a last farewell to the Dalles trade. Steamers on the Upper Columbia will never carry freight for Cariboo. Victoria and New Westminster will command the northern trade; and British Columbia packers and traders will escape competition with Oregonians. We want no stronger recommendation to authorize an exploration.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.
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Government street.
Je21 6t

FOR SALE.
RICE—China No. 1.
CANDLES—Adamantine,
MATTING—China, 4 1/2, 5 1/2, 6 1/2,
SALT—Sandwich Island,
By
JAMES LOWE.
Office—Piddell's Brick Building, Yates street.
Je21 1m

Washington Restaurant
—AND—
COFFEE SALOON,
GOVERNMENT St. bet. YATES AND JOHNSON
MEALS FURNISHED AT ALL HOURS
on the shortest notice and best style.
Board per Week, \$7.00 and upwards.
THE FINEST WINES, PORTER, ALE
—AND—
SEGARS,
Je21 1m

AUCTION.
SALE OF REAL ESTATE.
JOHN J. COCHRANE
Is instructed to sell by Public Auction the handsome and commodious
RESIDENCE
OF THE LATE LIEUTENANT BULL, R. N.,
AT ESQUIMALT,
With the Lot on which it is situated, 60x120 feet.
—ALSO—
THE FURNITURE, FITTINGS ETC.,
ON THE PREMISES,
TUESDAY, July 2nd, 1861,
At 12 o'clock, M. Je21 1d

VICTORIA
PHILHARMONIC SOCIETY!
THE SECOND
CONCERT!
Of the season will be given on
TUESDAY EVENING, 25th inst.,
at 8 o'clock precisely, at the
NEW THEATRE.
TERMS OF ADMISSION, \$1; Members Free.
Tickets may be obtained at the Philharmonic Hall, corner Government and Broughton streets, between the hours of 10 and 5 on Monday and Tuesday next.
Reserved seats can be had on early application.
JOHN DEWEES,
President.
Je19
Barrels for Sale.
500 NEW SALMON BARRELS AND
a splendid SALMON NET for sale cheap, if applied for immediately to
J. RUFF,
Wharf street.
Je18 1m

Meerschaum Pipes!
Meerschaum Pipes!
FINE TOBACCO CUTTERS!
FANCY GOODS!
WRITING CASES
AND
DRESSING CASES
A few fine Goods of this class. Je19

AUCTION SALES.
AUCTION.
—
THIS DAY,
FRIDAY, June 21st, 1861,
I. J. A. MCCREA
WILL SELL AT
PUBLIC VENDUE,

To close Invoices,
A stock of
MISCELLANEOUS GOODS!
CONSISTING IN PART OF
Heavy Grey Flannel Shirts,
Heavy Striped Hickory Shirts,
Cottonade Pants,
Fancy Shirts.
—ALSO—

Fine Furnishing Goods!
FINE MERINO UNDERSHIRTS,
FINE MERINO HOSIERY, GLOVES, &c
—ALSO—
YANKEE NOTIONS.
consisting of
Fine Pocket and Table Cutlery,

FINE TOOTH COMBS,
NEEDLES,
BUTTONS,
PINS,
TAPE,
RAZORS AND STROPS,
PERFUMERY AND SOAPS,
ALL OF WHICH WILL BE SOLD
ON THE
FOLLOWING CREDIT:
TERMS OF SALE:
All sums under one hundred dollars, CASH; all sums over one hundred and under two hundred, 30 days; all sums over two hundred, 60 days.
(Signed) J. A. MCCREA.
—ALSO—

MONDAY, June 24th, 1861,
AT THE WAREHOUSE
OF
Messrs. Stewart, Meldrum & Co.,
At 11 o'clock, A. M.,
As per advertisement, the following goods:
5 crates Crockery Ware,
100 cases Burnett's Old Tom.
An assortment of fine Liquors, consisting of
Port Wine,
Brandy,
Fine Old Sherry Wine,
English Bitters, etc.
—ALSO—
50 rolls Roofing Felt,
—ALSO—
5 Stoves,
—ALSO—
5 Chairs; Guitars and Violins,
ALSO,
London Tobacco in tins
—ALSO—

HARNESS:
7 sets Cart Harness
—ALSO—
Fishermen:
An invoice of nets
—ALSO—
Paper Hangings:
An invoice of English Paper Hangings
—ALSO—

Meerschaum Pipes!
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THIS DAY,
FRIDAY, June 21st, 1861,
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PUBLIC VENDUE,

PROPERTY
IN
ESQUIMALT
FOR SALE BY AUCTION.
P. M. BACKUS
WILL SELL
Wednesday, 3d July next,
At 12 o'clock, M.,
AT HIS SALESROOM ON YATES STREET,
The valuable **MERCANTILE PROPERTY**, Section No. 3,
On Esquimalt Harbor,
EXTENDING BACK TO THE ARM,
With upwards of one quarter of a mile of
WATER FRONTAGE ON EACH,
With deep water close in shore, in a more sheltered position than Constance Cove, and in the heaviest gale so protected that vessels can lie alongside a wharf.
The road from Victoria passes through the centre of the property. The proposed naval depot and barracks are in the immediate vicinity.
The value of this property is much enhanced from the fact of the Imperial Government selecting this portion of the harbor for Government works.
The property has been divided into various sized lots to suit the nature of the ground.
TERMS OF SALE
Will be given on the day of sale, say 25 per cent. cash and the balance within two years.
Plans to be seen at the office of the Auctioneer. Je18

SALE
OF
SHEEP AND CATTLE!
The Stock of Sheep on the
FARM OF CRAIGFLOWER,
And also a large number of Cattle, including Cows and Calves, and a few Horses, (principally young stock) not put to Auction at the recent sale of live stock on the farm, will be sold in lots by
PUBLIC AUCTION,
On Wednesday, 3d July next.
This fine healthy flock of Sheep, bred by Mr. Mackenzie with the greatest care during a series of years back, from the best English blood specially selected and imported, comprises the following, viz:
300 to 400 Ewes, Southdown
300 to 400 Ewes and Wether Lambs, Southdown
50 Ram Lambs, Southdown
70 to 80 Rams, " from 1 to 4 years old, a few of which have been imported direct from England.
There will also be sold at the same time, (if not previously disposed of) 3 fine Hampshire Down Rams, imported from England by the Hudson's Bay Company THIS YEAR.
An opportunity so rare is well worthy the attention of farmers wishing to improve their breeds of stock.
Credit for 2 months on bills with approved security will be given, or 2 1/2 per cent discount for ready money will be allowed on all purchases amounting to \$50 and upwards.
Further particulars may be learnt on application to Mr. Mackenzie, at the Farm, or to Dr. Tolmie or Mr. Munro, at Victoria.
The sale will commence on the Farm, at 11 o'clock, A. M., and conditions of sale will then be read.
Victoria, May 27th, 1861. my28

SALE OF
VALUABLE
PROPERTY!
JOHN J. COCHRANE is instructed to sell
BY PUBLIC AUCTION,
ON THE PREMISES,
On Wednesday, June 26th,
At 12 o'clock, M.,
The well-known and commodious **FAMILY HOTEL**, known as the **British American**, situated on the corner of Yates and Douglas streets, with the Lot 65x69.
—ALSO—
The commodious **BATH-HOUSE**, subject to the present lease, at the corner of Douglas and View streets, with Lot.
—ALSO—
Two-storied **CARPENTER SHOP**—upper part furnished in four rooms, with Lot 18x60.
—ALSO—
FIVE LOTS
With frontage on Douglas Street of about 23 feet.
TERMS OF SALE:
50 per cent. on day of sale, balance on or before the 1st of January, 1862. Je19 1d

SAN JUAN LIME,
And Portland Cement
ON HAND AND FOR SALE BY
PEASE & BOYCE,
Union Wharf
Je18 1m

AUCTION SALES.
AUCTION.
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THIS DAY,
FRIDAY, 21st June, 1861,
At 11 o'clock, A. M.,
AT HIS SALESROOM, YATES STREET,
The balance of an invoice of Books received from San Francisco, sent here for the purpose of trying the Market.
SALE POSITIVE.
These Books are well chosen from the best Authors, and consist of the following:
Byron's Moore's Cowper's Young's and other English Poets, some of them elegantly illustrated and bound.
Romances, such as Paul and Virginia, Mysteries of Udolpho, Amelia, by Fielding, Humphrey Clinker's Thrilling Adventures, Arabian Nights, Dickens' Works complete.
Histories, Travels
Boswell's Life of Johnson
Napier's Peninsular War
Lives of American Merchants
History of Ireland, Ancient and Modern
Byron's Life of Moore
And a variety of valuable works too numerous to mention.
—ALSO—
Immediately after the sale of the above,
Some Celebrated Catholic Works, among which is a copy of Duay Catholic Bible, splendidly engraved.
Errata of the Protestant Bible, with the celebrated Preface of the Rev. Doctor Lingard, by the Right Rev. Doctor Milner.
Lingard's History of England, 13 vols. Illustrated frontispiece
1 vol. Shiel's Speeches
1 vol. The Bible against Protestantism
1 vol. Tour in Ireland, by Cardinal Wiseman.
1 vol. Celebrated Dr. Cahill's Works
1 vol. Collett's History of the Reformation
1 vol. Pope and Metairie
1 vol. Shortest Way to End Disputes
1 vol. Life in Galway, &c.
—ALSO—
About 200 volumes of NEW BOOKS, well selected, consisting of, in part, as follows:
Humphrey Clinker
Thaddeus of Warsaw
Scott's Napoleon
Fremont's Exploring Expedition
Most of the English Poets
Histories,
Travels
Mechanical, Scientific, and Amusing Works.
There is no reserved price on any of those books, and parties desirous of adding to their libraries will have an excellent opportunity of doing so at low figures.

AUCTION.
FURNITURE BY AUCTION!
P. M. BACKUS
WILL SELL
TO-MORROW,
SATURDAY, June 22nd,
At 11 o'clock, A. M.,
AT HIS SALESROOM, YATES STREET,
Furniture, consisting of
Tables
Chairs
Bedsteads
Bedding and Carpets, and
1 Cooking Stove and utensils
3 Lounges
1 Bureau
1 Arm Chair
1 Nursery Chair
1 Child's high Chair
1 Rosewood Wellington Chair
1 Foot Stool
1 centre Table
2 Hassoicks
The above have been in use only a few weeks.
Immediately after the sale of Furniture
WILL BE SOLD
An American sorrel Mare, not yet 5 years old, kind in harness or under the saddle, and well suited for a Ladies Saddle Horse.
—ALSO—
A House for sale at 12 o'clock precisely.
The store and buildings adjoining (formerly occupied by Thos. Phelan) There is a ground rent of \$20 per month on the lot, and there is about 25 feet of the lot not built upon, which is included in the lease.
TERMS CASH. SALE POSITIVE.
Je20

WANTED.
A FIRST RATE BUTCHER TO TAKE
charge of Butcher's Shop. One who can keep accounts preferred. Apply to "X" at the Colonist Office. Je20 1f

Schooner for Sale.
THE SCHOONER LALLAH ROOKEH,
18 tons register. This schooner is nearly new, well and thoroughly built and found, and would be an excellent vessel for any parties going north. For particulars apply to
F. PEAKES,
Rousset's Wharf.
Victoria Market Company.
(LIMITED.)

TO BUILDERS. TENDERS WILL
be received by the undersigned until 4 o'clock on Friday, 21st inst., for the erection of the requisite buildings for a public Market on lots 238, 239, 387 and 388.
By order of the Directors,
JO. N. J. COCHRANE, Sec'ry.
Government street.
Je20 2t

S. M. RICHARDS'
LIME DEPOT.
HAVING JUST OPENED AN EXTENSIVE LIME DEPOT on Humboldt street for Esquimalt Lime, I can now supply the inhabitants of British Columbia and Vancouver Island with the best and cheapest Lime to be had in the market. All orders are promptly attended to. Good wharf accommodations at the Kiln, Esquimalt.
P. S. In the absence of Mr. Richards, Mr. Martin is authorised to act for him. Je20 1m

Carpenters and Builders.
THE SUBSCRIBERS BEG LEAVE
to announce that, having purchased the fixtures, machinery, etc., of Mr. JAMES E. WOLFE, and refitted a Shop on Yates street, opposite the old stand, they are now prepared to execute all work that may be committed to their charge with promptness and dispatch.
Job work promptly attended to.
Plans and Specifications furnished when desired.
BOONE & ERDMAN,
Yates street.
Je18 1f

D. Llewelyn,
NO. 36 JOHNSON STREET,
MACHINE AND SHIP SMITH, IS NOW
prepared to forge Anchors of all sizes, from 20 lbs up to 1600 lbs weight, at San Francisco prices.
FARMING IMPLEMENTS made and repaired at the shortest notice. All work warranted.
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THE BRITISH COLONIST

Friday Morning, June 21, 1861.

A PALMETTO FLAG RAISED IN WASHINGTON TERRITORY.—Last week, as the U. S. mail steamer Eliza Anderson was on her return trip to Olympia, she put in at Port Ludlow on business, and while there Capt. Fleming observed a suspicious-looking flag waving from a high staff about half a mile from the water. The glass was called into requisition and the ensign was made out to have a white ground with something like a tree in the centre. It was immediately pronounced a secession flag, and a party of seventeen persons, headed by Captain Fleming, immediately volunteered, with such arms as were on board, to go ashore and tear it down. The steamer's boat was manned, and the party reached the beach and marched toward the piratical ensign. During their advance it was noticed that not a single inhabitant of the small settlement was to be seen anywhere about. An ominous silence reigned over the whole place, while the emblem of rebellion waved high above the tallest tree as if laughing to scorn the puny party that had volunteered to trail its folds in the dust. The Unionists, however, pushed boldly on, and as they neared the spot, Captain Fleming divided his command into three squads in order that due precaution might be observed in case of an ambushade. The three squads arrived at the foot of the staff from which the offensive banner flaunted in the breeze at about the same moment. An ax in the hands of the sturdy mate of the Anderson was called into requisition, and after a few well directed strokes—crack! crack!—down came the staff. As it reached the ground, seventeen pairs of feet carried their owners to the spot; seventeen pairs of hands grasped the secession flag and tore it from the pole to which it had been nailed and seventeen pairs of eyes were fixed on the standard before consigning it to a merited destruction. Yes! there was the palmetto flag—that emblem of the pestilent little State which has caused the trouble now prevailing in the dis-United States of America. "Tear it up!" shouted Capt. F., excitedly, as the palmetto tree met his eye. "Yes, but captain," said one of the Invincibles who had taken a good look, "have you seen what is under the tree?" The captain advanced, took one long, last, lingering look and—broke for his boat, followed by the company, who, in turn, were followed by roars of laughter from the residents of Port Ludlow, who had secreted themselves in the neighboring bushes for the purpose of seeing the joke well played. The Anderson was not long in getting underweigh after the command had safely reached her, and steamed out of the harbor with the stars and stripes floating saucily in the breeze from her mast-head. It seems that the people of Port Ludlow had determined to play a practical joke on Capt. Fleming, and had accordingly procured a strip of white muslin, painted a palmetto tree in the centre, with a *huge horn* underneath, and nailed it to the staff from which it was ruthlessly torn by the Anderson Invincibles. They had then secreted themselves in the woods to note the effect upon the Union men—who swallowed the bait quite as readily as was expected. Whether Capt. Fleming will punish the inhabitants of the rebellious town by a stoppage of their mails or not, is yet to be decided.

FUNERAL OF BERNARD FARRELL.—The funeral of Bernard Farrell, who died suddenly the day before, was attended yesterday, from the Tiger Engine-house, by the members of that organization, and also by Deluge Engine and Union Hook and Ladder Companies. The Tigers appeared in full uniform, while the representatives from the other companies were attired in citizen's dress, with the usual badge of mourning on the left arm. The procession moved about 3 o'clock, P. M., and proceeded to the Church Reserve cemetery. The bell on the truck-house was tolled during the march and the services at the grave, and added considerably to the impressiveness and solemnity of the scene. The funeral services of the Catholic Church were performed at the grave, after which the body was lowered to its last resting place, and the mourners returned to town.

MEETING OF DASHAWAYS.—A meeting of this Association is called for this evening at the rooms of the Gymnasium Club. The business to be transacted is said to be of great importance to the Association and a full attendance is requested.

MR. AND MRS. STARK.—These artists, who favored us with a visit last winter, and performed in the Hudson Bay Company's old storehouse, are now at Maguire's Opera House, San Francisco. They must be especial favorites at the Bay City, to judge from the flitting notices of the press.

COTTON IN ENGLAND.—At last accounts there were only twenty-three weeks' supply of cotton in all England.

THE CASE OF THE MAN ARRESTED ON SUSPICION OF BEING A DESERTER FROM HER MAJESTY'S SHIP GANGES. has been referred to Admiral Maitland by the Police magistrate.

Wm. Smith was arrested yesterday on a warrant charging him with assaulting Thos. Estall, Jr.

Auction Sales.
At 11 o'clock to-day, P. M. Backus will sell by auction at his salesroom, Yates street, the balance of an invoice of goods received from San Francisco, and comprising Leigh Hunt's, Hazlett's, Smollett's, Lamb's, Cahill's, Moore's, and other favorite authors. There are no reserved prices on any of the works.
J. A. McCrea will sell by auction this morning, at 11 o'clock, at his salesroom, Wharf street, a stock of miscellaneous goods, Yankee notions, razors, perfumery, soaps, &c., all of which will be sold on a liberal credit.

PUBLIC MARKET.—Tenders are advertised for the construction of a public market on Fort street running through to Broughton. The building and enclosure will have 222 feet frontage on Fort street, by 200 feet deep. Several fine stores will front on Front street, and a wide entrance will lead to the stalls in the rear. These stalls will be rented to farmers, butchers, or green-grocers by the day, week, or month. Farmers and others who cannot afford or do not desire to hire stalls, may drive their wagons into a spacious enclosure fronting on Broughton street, and dispose of their produce there. We have no doubt but the establishment of this market will prove a great public convenience, as well as a considerable saving to farmers. The latter now labor under serious disadvantage in this city, being compelled to hawk their commodity from door to door, sell what they can (in quantities to suit), and either take the balance back home or dispose of it at a sacrifice to the produce dealers. If the proposed market only affords this class relief, we shall be most happy to give the project our cordial support.

PHILHARMONIC CONCERT.—Our citizens will call to mind with pleasure the rare musical treat with which they were favored by that excellent association of amateurs known as the Philharmonic Society, some six months ago; and they will, we are assured, be no less pleased to learn that another concert by the same association will be given at the New Theatre on Tuesday evening of next week. In addition to the talented amateurs, we learn that two or three professional artists will appear. One good feature to the forthcoming concert is, that notwithstanding there will be reserved seats provided, no extra charge will be made. It will be "first come first served," this time, an arrangement which cannot fail to meet with universal approval.

SAN JUAN ISLAND LIME.—We acknowledge the receipt yesterday of several chunks of fine lime from the San Juan Island Lime Company's kiln. The specimens sent us are nearly as white as chalk, and appear free from grit or other foreign substances. A quantity of lime from this kiln was recently tested at Port Gamble and found to go one-third further than a like quantity from the Santa Cruz kilns.

THE BITE INLET EXPLORERS.—The schooner Antelope, with the Bite Inlet exploring party on board, sailed yesterday. We shall probably hear from this party in the course of three weeks, but at least a month and a half must elapse before a report as to the practicability of the route, can be expected. Another party will start this morning for the same destination, in canoes.

SAN JUAN GARRISON.—Captain Pickett's company have packed up their traps preparatory to departure for California by the Pacific, in compliance with orders received per overland mail. It is confidently anticipated by the residents on the Island that the British garrison will also be withdrawn shortly.

ACCESSION.—Yesterday, being the 24th anniversary of the accession of Queen Victoria to the throne, was observed by the closing of the James' Bay Public Offices, the raising of the national ensign by the shipping in the harbor, and other quiet demonstrations of loyalty.

THE "MASSACHUSETTS."—The U. S. steam-transport Massachusetts arrived on Wednesday evening in the harbor of Esquimaux. Col. Casey, of the U. S. Army, and family, came by her. The Colonel has been ordered to join the army in the East.

THE "HECATE."—Our announcement yesterday of the arrival of the surveying steamer Hecate, was a mistake. The arrival was that of the U. S. steamer Massachusetts.

PRACTICE.—H. M. S. Bacchante yesterday proceeded to the mouth of Esquimaux harbor for gun practice.

MARRIED.
In this city, on the 20th inst., by the Rev. Mr. Cridge, of Christ Church, M. C. F. SAYWARD to ANN CHAMBERS, both formerly of San Francisco, California.

MARINE INTELLIGENCE.
PORT OF VICTORIA, V. I.

ARRIVED.
June 20—Schr Growler, Barrington, Port Townsend
Schr H C Page, Oberg, San Juan

CLEARED.
June 20—Whalboat Fanny, Hunter, Port Townsend
Canoe Henrietta, Ockner, N W Coast of V I

IMPORTS.
Per schooner Growler, from Whidby Island—690 bushels potatoes, 200 bushels oats, 200 do wheat, 10 tons hay. Value, \$530

TWELVE BARRELS COLZA OIL,
For sale by
SAML. PRICE & CO.,
Wharf street.
Victoria, V. I., June 20, 1861.

PUBLIC NOTICES.

PROCLAMATION.

Vancouver Island.
By His Excellency JAMES DOUGLAS, Companion of the most Honorable Order of the Bath, Governor and Commander-in-Chief of the Colony of Vancouver Island and its Dependencies, Vice Admiral of the same, etc., etc., etc.

WHEREAS the House of Assembly convened on the 1st day of March, 1860, has been prorogued until the 12th day of June, 1861,
Now I, James Douglas, do proclaim and declare that the said House of Assembly is hereby prorogued until Wednesday, the 26th day of June next ensuing, for the dispatch of business.

Issued under the Public Seal of the said Colony, at Victoria, Vancouver Island, this 19th day of May, A. D. one thousand eight hundred and sixty-one, and in the twenty-fourth year of Her Majesty's Reign.

JAMES DOUGLAS.
By His Excellency's Command,
WILLIAM A. G. YOUNG.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN.

MISCELLANEOUS.
HENRY NATHAN,
Having Just Received, per "Marcella,"

A FIRST SHIPMENT OF GOODS,
Direct from his House in London,

OFFERS IN LOTS TO SUIT,
CHEAP FOR CASH
HOSIERY.—Consisting of Stockings, Socks, Gloves, Stays, Corsets, Trill Woven, Regatta, and Fancy White Shirts, long cloth Handkerchiefs, Neckties, &c. &c.

CLOTHING.—Gents' Black Tweed Doe Angora suits, Milton and Shooting Coats, Alpaca sacks, D'Orys Morning Coats, Drab Hunter's Cord Trowsers, Drawers, Felt, Straw, Leghorn, and Panama Hats, &c.

DRAPERY.—Silks, Merinos, Alpaca, Muslins, Barges, shirtings, etc.

OILMAN'S STORES.—Pickles, Sardines, Pie Fruits, Sauces, Mustard, Oil, etc.

ASSORTED Hardware, Crockery and Glassware
ASSORTMENT OF FANCY WARE.—Consisting in part of Baskets, Bead and Silver Bracelets, Cards, Shaving Tooth and Nail Brushes, Pipes, Comb Plated Ware, etc. etc.

NO. 9, WHARF STREET, VICTORIA, V. I.
SELLING OFF
the entire stock of
Fancy and Dry Goods!
AT COST FOR SIXTY DAYS.

—ALSO—
Crockery, Glass, Hardware, Clothing, Boots, Ladies' and Misses' Boots and Shoes, Mantillas, India Rubber Boots, Blankets, Sheetings, Drillings, White and Fancy Sairs, Spades, Shovels, Mining Tools, Cutters, Cards, Hats, Caps, etc.

GROCERIES,
Candles, Sugar, Tea, Coffee, Can Fruits, Pickles, Oysters, Sauces, Raisins, Currants, Butter, Lard, Hams, Cheese, Yeast Powder, etc.

The above was purchased expressly for this market, and is offered for sale in consequence of the proprietor leaving for California.
FOR BARGAINS, now is your time.
Call and examine, at
FARRELL & CO'S
Columbia street, New Westminster.

Je11 1m

CURLING'S
SPARKLING
EFFERVESCENT
CITRATE

OF
MAGNESIA!

Another supply of the above favorite Medicine

JUST RECEIVED

BY
LANGLEY BROS.

Je1 1m

M. PRAG.
Yates street,
offers for sale, cheap,

HARDWARE,
Agricultural Implements
Bar Iron, Steel & Iron-Mongery,
STOVE & TINWARE

of every description.
Glass and Crockery Ware, Wood and Willow Ware
&c. &c.
Je15

THE NORTHERN
ASSURANCE COMPANY,
(ESTABLISHED 1836.)

For Fire and Life Assurance
AT HOME AND ABROAD.
CAPITAL £1,250,760 STERLING.

The undersigned have been appointed Agents for Victoria.
JANION & GREEN.
Victoria, August, 1860.

SLOOP PETREL FOR SALE.
THE SLOOP PETREL, OAK FRAME,
planked with cedar, copper-fastened, and riveted in the butt; twelve months old; well found in every respect, is offered for sale very low. She is well suited for a yacht and was built for a deep-water boat.

Apply to
P. McQUADE,
Wharf street.

FOR SALE LOW,
NAILS, SUGAR, BARLEY, OATS, HAY
Bran, Middlings, in lots to suit purchasers, wholesale and retail, by
S ANDERSON
Cor. of Broad and View Sts.

Je18 1m

Royal Hospital.
SEVERAL DESTITUTE PATIENTS
in the Hospital are greatly in need of clothes, cast-off linen, and other garments, and bundles of old linen for dressing wounds, &c., sent to the Stewards of the Hospital will be thankfully received.
Je18

LANDING, EX "MARCELLA."
RYANS' PORTER IN QUARTS AND
For sale by
E. STAMP & CO.

MISCELLANEOUS.

RECEIVED,
EX MARCELLA,
FROM GEO. CURLING & CO., LONDON,
Curling's Citrate of Magnesia,

Curling's Cod Liver Oil,
Curling's Scalding Powders,
Curling's Oriental Dentifrice,
Rowland's Odonto,
Rowland's Macassar Oil,
Rowland's Kalydor.

FROM APOTHECARIES HALL,
A select assortment of pure
Drugs and Chemicals.

FROM JOHN GOSNELL & CO.,
Hair Brushes,
Tooth Brushes,
Nail Brushes,
Bath Brushes,
Double Distilled Lavender Water,
Toilet Soaps,
Tooth Powder,
Toilet Powder.

FROM ROBT. LOWE & SON,
The genuine Old Brown Windsor Soap.

LANGLEY BROS.,
Chemists and Druggists.

Je17

EX "MARCELLA," FROM LONDON.
Now Landing, and for Sale by the Undersigned:
PORTER IN BOTTLE.—150 cases of Taylor, Wadell & Co.'s celebrated Porter, bottled at the Victoria Stores.

PALE ALE IN BOTTLE.—100 cases, each 4 dozen.
PALE ALE IN HOPS.
OILMEN'S STORES, Viz.: Pickles, Sardines, Oatmeal, Curry Powder, Anchovies, Mustard, Jams, Salad Oil, Dried Herbs, Spices.

TIN PLATES.—Assorted qualities and sizes—310 boxes.
SHEET IRON.—Assorted sizes and qualities.
BANGA TIN IN SHEETS.—And Sheet Zinc.

GALVANIZED SHEET IRON.—Assorted sizes.
SOLDER, BRASS WIRE,
COPPER SHEATHING & BRAZIER'S COPPER.

BALES BLANKETS.
CASES CLOTHING—CLOTH CAPS.
CASES BEST STEEL AND SAWS, ass'd, etc., etc., etc.

Je1 1m

ASSAY OFFICE.
MARCHAND & CO.,
Respectfully announce to the public of
VICTORIA AND BRITISH COLUMBIA

that they have opened their new office for the
ASSAYING OF GOLD, SILVER,
COPPER, AND OTHER ORES,
And are now fully prepared to make all Assays entrusted to them with
Correctness and Care.

Returns made in from 3 to 6 hours in bar or coin at the option of the depositor.

M. & Co. beg to refer to the following bankers:
Wells, Fargo & Co., Victoria
McDonald & Co., Victoria
Ladd & Tilton, Portland Oregon.
Davidson & May, San Francisco.
Wells, Fargo & Co., San Francisco.
Tallant & White, San Francisco.
Larrott & Co., San Francisco.
Sather & Church, San Francisco.
Harris & Co., San Francisco.
Abel Guy & Co., San Francisco.

Office.—In the building formerly occupied by McDonald & Co., No. 8, Yates street, Victoria. Je10 1m

WINES AND LIQUORS
Wines and Liquors.

CHAMPAGNE WINES, choicest brands now in use
BANK OF THE U. I. in bottles—very superior
CALIFORNIA WINES of old vintages and fine quality

CRÈME DE CASSIS, superior article
POIT and SHERRY in cask and case, of superior quality
BRANDY, Pale and Dark, Hennessy's, Martell, and Cognac

CLARET WINES in cask and case, large assortment
JAMAICA RUM in puncheons and case
SCOTCH WHISKY, in
Quinn's
The old Whisky, one of the best made in America
This whisky is worthy the attention of connoisseurs

CENTURY, Magnolia, and Old Bourbon, in 5-bbls
HOLLAND 18, in puncheons and cases
OLD TOM GIN in puncheons and cases
PURE APPLE CIDER, in 1-bbls and 5-bbls
CHOICE high-proof WHISKY, BRANDY, & RUM
BOTTLED Old Seleccion, Orange and Bitter's
Bitter's
FOREST LAWS, Cabinet & Cutter's Whisky; in
SYRUPS, CORDIALS, &c.

For sale low by
W. H. OLIVER,
Johnson street, opposite Wharf street,
Victoria, V. I.

Je12 1m

RECEIVED, EX PACIFIC,
DIRECT FROM HAVANA
CABANAS y CARRAJAL, Regalia Imperiales

Figaro, Regalia Britanica
Figaro primado, " "
Mentoro, " "
Lotteria, " "
Legitimidad, " "
Manuel Reyna, Regalia Espanero
Caperuzn, " "

For sale in lots to suit at
G. SUITO & CO'S,
Yates street.

Je1 12p

London Porter and Stout
EX ALMA AND OTHER ARRIVALS.
RYAN'S IN 4 DOZ CASES, QUARTS
and Pints.
THORNTON'S, bottled by Duckworth, in 4 doz cases
TAYLOR'S, bottled by Victoria Stores, London, in 4 doz cases
BAIRCLAY, PERKINS & CO'S, bottled by Friend, in 4 doz cases
MORRICE, COX & CO'S, bottled in 4 doz barrels.
For sale by
THOS PATRICK & CO,
Victoria store.

Je14 2m

Havana Cigars.
LATEST IMPORTATION.

REGALIA, Regalia Britanica.
General Scott do do
La Agueda do do
La Maria Luisa do do
Quinn do do
La Victoria do do
La Flor de Lopez Torre do do
La Riquessa Cubana do do
La Verdi do do
La Salsa do do
La Villa de Gijon, Regalia de Londres, do do
La Urania do do
La Viuda de Garcia, Cigaritos, do do

For sale in lots to suit, by
G. V. GNOLO,
Corner Yates and Wharf street.

Je12 1m

London & Colonial Company
(LIMITED)
THE UNDERSIGNED HAVE BEEN APPOINTED
Agents for the above Company and are receiving
by every arrival shipments of their very superior
Port and Porter viz:

BUCKTON ALES, in bulk and glasses.
PORTER (Taylor, Walker & Co's.) Celebrated London Porter, bottled at the Victoria store.
A fine lot of the above now landing ex Marcella from London.
Je1 1m

DRY GOODS, ETC.

NEW GOODS!

Arrived by Steamer Pacific

FOR

N. MOORE & Co.

A FULL ASSORTMENT OF

Alexandre's Kid Gloves,

A SUPERIOR QUALITY OF

Plain Black Silk,

RICH FIGURED SILK

AND

POPLIN DRESSES,

HOOP SKIRTS,

RIBBONS,

EMBROIDERIES,

LACES,

HOSIERY,

Etc., Etc., Etc.

AND

AN EXTENSIVE ASSORTMENT OF

Clothing,

AMONG WHICH WILL BE FOUND SOME

VERY SUPERIOR

DRESS FROCK COATS,

PANTS,

WHITE MARSEILLES VESTS,

Dress Shirts,

CRAVATS.

—ALSO—

Table Damasks, Damask Cloths,

DOILEYS, NAPKINS, TOWELINGS, DRA-

PERIES, etc., etc., etc.

A large lot of

EMBROIDERED SETS

At very reduced prices.

N. MOORE & Co.,

Je1 1m

YATES STREET.

NEW SPRING GOODS

JUST ARRIVED

AT THE

VICTORIA DRY GOODS STORE,

Next to Cor. of Yates and Government Sts.

A large and well selected Stock of

Dry Goods!

Comprising all the styles of the season in

Silks, Poplins, Delaines, Barges, and

Balustrines;

Also, LADIES' AND CHILDREN'S HATS AND

MUSLIN WORK, and a general assortment of

HABERDASHERY,

VELVET, HIRE, and TAPESTRY CARPETS, 3 PLY

KINDERMINSTER, and FLOOR OIL CLOTH.

Purchasers will find it to their advantage to call and examine for themselves.

Je1 1m

RECEIVED,

EX MARCELLA,

CHURCH OF ENGLAND

Service and Prayer Books,

Both handsomely and plainly Bound.

—ALSO—

A GENERAL ASSORTMENT OF

Superior English Stationery.

HIBBEN & CARSWELL.

Je11 1m

MOSQUITO NETTING!

MOSQUITO NETTING! MOSQUITO NETTING!

A **NOTICE** SEASON IS NOW COMING ON
The Mosquitoes I would refer the Up River men
chants to the

MISCELLANEOUS.

HIBBEN & CARSWELL,
Booksellers and Stationers,
RECEIVE ADDITIONS BY NEARLY
every Steamer to their present large stock of
School, Standard and Miscellaneous
BOOKS,
Embracing most of the Modern and Ancient Stand
ard Authors in
POETRY AND FICTION,
MECHANICS, AGRICULTURE,
HISTORY, BIOGRAPHY, RELIGION,
Law, Medicine, Sciences, Music, etc.,
BIBLES, HYMN AND PRAYER BOOKS,
MAPS,
In Sections of both Hemispheres.

—ALSO—
Stationery,
Consisting of

BLANK WORK IN GREAT VARIETY
from Miniature to Counting House size,
Writing Papers and Materials,
Printers' Stationery and Wrapping Paper,
Playing and Visiting Cards
Letter, Note and Official Envelopes,
MUSIC AND MUSIC PAPER,
Drawing and Tracing Paper and Cloth,
DRAWING BOOKS & INSTRUMENTS,
Pocket and Counting House Diaries for 1891,
Blank, Law and Shipping Forms,
Log Books, Time Books, Draft and Note
and Order Books,
SHIPPING RECEIPTS
Copying Presses, Eyelet Machines
And a variety of other Fancy and Staple Stationery,
and a good assortment of
**GOLD PENS AND
POCKET CUTLERY.**
STATIONERS' HALL,
my22 1m 40 Yates street.

Dickson, Campbell & Co.,
WHARF STREET,

Offer for Sale ex. Recent Arrivals,
BURTON ALE—Bass & Co's No. 3. Burton
Brewery Co's No. 2. In blads
and bbls; Burton Brewery
Co's E. T. Ale in quarts and
pints; Burton Brewery Co's
XXX Ale in quarts and pints.
LONDON STOUT—Morice Cox & Co's Robby
& Co's in quarts and pints.
OILMANS STORES—Leo F. Cowards, Crosse
& Blackwell's Robert Thins,
and Wyatt & Co's assorted
Invoices.
Soda Crystals in Barrels,
CANDLES—Best English. (Crystalline, Sperm
Stearine, etc.)
RICE—Patna No. 1, (re-cleaned)
HOPS—15 bales English.
POWDER—Best Blasting.
FIRE BRICKS—5,000 English,
ROOFING SLATES—10,000 Countess,
TOBACCO—5000 lbs Virginia Leaf.
je6 1m

AGENCY
OF THE

San Francisco Mission Woolen Mills.
WE REG TO CALL TO THE ATTEN-
tion of dealers in Victoria, British Columbia
and ports on Puget Sound, that we are prepared to
execute with dispatch orders for the following
goods, samples of which can be examined at our
office:
Family Blankets, all wool, superior quality;
Mackinaw do. do. do. do;
Scarlet do. do. do. do;
Blue do. do. do. do;
Grey do. do. do. do;
Golden State Gentlemen's Long Shawls, all wool,
with plain or radiated borders;
Tweeds, double and single width, all wool, and de-
sirable colors;
English Flannels, all colors, and of extra quality;
Over-shirts, a variety of patterns, sizes and colors.
The above goods are manufactured of selected
wools, and are superior in quality to the same class
of imported fabrics
SAM'L PRICE & CO
Victoria, V. I., March 26, 1891. my27 1m

REMOVAL.
C. VEREYDHEH,
Contractor and Builder,
Has removed his Office to the Brick Building
Corner of Douglas and Fort streets, upstairs,
and is prepared to contract
for or superintend the erection of Brick or
Frame Buildings of any kind or style.
Parties who intend to build, will do well to call
and plans will be shown for brick stores or dwellings
which can be erected at a trifling cost over that of a
wooden building.
Plans and drawings of every style and specifica-
tions made at the shortest notice. my27 1m

LD. LOWENBERG,
REAL ESTATE AGENT.
East side of Government st., bet. Yates & Johnson
WILL PAY PARTICULAR ATTENTION TO
selling, purchasing, and leasing property, to
negotiating loans, and transacting everything con-
nected with Real Estate business.
Maps of all the different Districts on the Island may
be seen at his office. Parties desiring to purchase
lands, or making investments, will find on my
Bulletin Board Town Lots on nearly every street.
Farming or Gardening Land in every District; some
of which afford a rare chance for investment.
Conveyances, leases, etc., drawn up at reasonable
rates. my23 1m

W. CULVERWELL,
General Agency for the Collection of
Debts and Credits,
INTELLIGENCE OFFICE,
Money Loaned on Good Security,
Bookkeeping, Documents Copied, Etc.
In cases requiring a power of Attorney, security
will be furnished. Office, upstairs, cor. Yates and
Langley streets, Victoria. je6 1m

FOR SALE,
400 BARRELS EXTRA OREGON
100 bbls superfine Oregon Flour
325 sacks barley
100 sacks bran
200 sacks California Beans
20,000 lbs Oregon Bacon, Sides, Hams and Shoulders
In lots to suit
J. J. SOUTHWATE & CO.
Wharf street.
my30 1m

EX "ST. MARK," FROM LIVERPOOL.
THE UNDERSIGNED HAVE JUST
received, via San Francisco, a large and varied
assortment of the finest CLOTHS and TWEEDS,
also, Men's and Boy's Caps, Hosiery, Ties, Belts,
etc., of every variety, all of which are well worth the
attention of dealers.
DICKSON, CAMPBELL & CO.,
je4 1m Wharf street

DR. CLERJON,
FROM PARIS,
Physician, Surgeon and Accoucheur,
Government street, between Yates and Johnson, in
the Yard opposite Washington Restaurant.
Treatment of all Diseases without Mercury.
my30 1m

HOTELS AND SALOONS.

PARIS AND LONDON
ROTISSERIE AND RESTAURANT,
Government street, corner Trousne alley
VICTORIA, V. I.
First class Restaurant in every particular.
The Cooking Department is managed by the Pro-
prietors, and the tables are furnished with all the
delicacies of the season.
A ROASTING JACK is used for roasting meat
before the fire.
Private Saloons for Parties.
Meats, Game and Chickens roasted before the fire
for the convenience of Families or Messes.
Wine, Ale and Porter to order.
Private entrance on Trousne alley. je19 1m

Bank Exchange Saloon.
THE UNDERSIGNED, HAVING LEASED
the building adjoining his Saloon, at the corner
of Langley and Yates street, is about enlarging
and fitting it up in a first-class style. When the com-
pleted improvements are completed he will be
prepared to lease one half of the premises, to a good
tenant at a low rent, for a store
As heretofore the best brands of
WINES, ALES, LIQUORS AND CIGARS,
Always on hand.
JO. LOVETT,
Bank Exchange Saloon.
je29 1m

SUPERIOR
ACCOMODATIONS
FOR
TRAVELERS!
AT THE

STAR AND GARTER HOTEL!
Government Street,
(OPPOSITE BRITISH COLONIST BUILDING)
Victoria, V. I.
L. DAVIES, Proprietor.
je4 1m

Hotel and Restaurant,
MINERS' EXCHANGE,
Waddington Alley, bet. Johnson and Yates streets,
VICTORIA, V. I.
Board and Lodging (per week).....\$6 and \$7
Board.....\$5
Meals at all hours.....50 cents
The subscriber would notify his friends and the
public that he has refitted and furnished the above
Establishment, and can now offer a comfortable
home to those visiting this Colony.
JOSEPH M. MORRAIS,
my1 2mdw An Old Californian.

CAMERON'S
Board and Lodging House,
SCOTT'S WHARF, NEW WESTMINSTER.
CAMERON TAKES THIS METHOD
of returning his sincere thanks to his many
patrons, for the patronage which he has been
receiving since the opening of his house (14 months
ago) and begs to state that he having greatly enlarged
his house is now prepared to board and lodge any
number of men that may please to call. I am deter-
mined, as before, to keep the best table on the river,
and in the house can not be beat for cleanliness
and comfort, being under the management of Mrs. C.
Board and Lodging per week - - - - - \$8 00
Single Meals - - - - - 50
Beds per night - - - - - 50
Parties can have their beds free by furnishing their
own blankets. The house is pleasantly situated, being
opposite the theatre, and on the wharf where all the
steamers start. Here in fact the boys will find every-
thing s.c.o.o.m. je9 3m

Hotel International,
Jackson street, a few doors above Montgomery st.,
SAN FRANCISCO,
FOSTER & COLEMAN, (SUCCESSORS
to J. J. Haley.) Proprietors.
Having purchased the interest of Mr. Haley in this
well known Hotel, the subscribers beg to say to the
old patrons of the house and the public generally,
that they have made many alterations and improve-
ments, and refurnished and renovated the house
throughout in the most thorough manner, and have
added an elegant private hall for the entrance of
ladies, and are determined that in the future the
house shall possess a 1st class of a FIRST CLASS
HOTEL in every particular.
Our Mr. Patten has been bookkeeper of the house
for the past two years, and Mr. Foster has been con-
necting with the house, and has been in this coast for
eight years as purser, and cheerfully offers his
services to families and others in procuring steamer
passage, in advance of their arrival here.
NO ADVANCE IN PRICES. Conches of the Hotel
always in readiness.
my12 3m **FOSTER & COLEMAN.**

FOR SALE EX RECENT ARRIVALS.
50 CASES TENNANT'S PALE ALE
(qrts).
20 cases Tennant's Strong Ale (qrts).
20 cases Bud & Copes' Burton Ale (qrts).
20 cases Byles' Pale Ale (qrts).
10 cases Oregon Cider,
20 cases Old Tom,
20 cases Davenport's Wheat Whisky
25 cases Duff Gordon's Pale Sherry,
25 cases Superior Brandy,
30 cases Booth & Sedgwick's Gin,
25 cases Cherry Cordial,
15 cases assorted Syrups,
20 cases Old Bourbon Whisky,
10 cases Bernard's Old Tom,
5 do Stewart's Scotch Whisky,
5 do McKenzie's do do
In lots to suit.
J. J. SOUTHWATE & Co.,
Wharf street.
my22 1m

New Ship Building Yard.
THE SUBSCRIBERS REG TO AN-
nounce that, having leased that piece of ground
on the Indian Reserve on which the Cariboo and
other steamers were built, that they are laying down
and fitting out a ship of almost any vessel
suiting to the port of Victoria. The necessary ar-
rangements will be completed in three weeks, when
they will be prepared to haul out steam or sail
vessels.
Menu-time they are prepared to contract for build-
ing steam or sail vessels of any size or design, with
models and draughts supplied.
SCORRIE, BOLTON & CO.,
Ship Builders.
P. S. Orders from British Columbia punctually at-
tended to.
my22 1m

MACDONALD & CO.,
Office on Yates street,
SELL CHECKS AT SIGHT ON TAL-
LANE WILDE, Bankers, San Francisco.
Furnish Bills of Exchange in sums to suit, and at
current rates on New York and London
Pay highest prices for Bars and Gold Dust.
Make advances on Gold Dust for Assay or Coinage
in San Francisco.
Purchase Navy Bills and Bills on London.
je7 3mdw

Photography.
A SUPERIOR AND COMPLETE PHO-
tographic Apparatus may be had at a moderate
price.
my29 Apply to
LANGLEY BROS.

CLOTHING, ETC.

CLOTHING.
Tweed Suits! Dress Suits!
FROCK COATS,
BALTIC AND WHITE SHIRTS,
NECKTIES, &c., &c.,
Just Received ex "St. Mark," from Liverpool, and
for sale by
je11 1m **WM MUIR,**
Langley street.

KOSHLAND & BRO.,
Importers and Jobbers in
Clothing, Dry Goods,
BOOTS AND SHOES,
BLANKETS, DUCKS, DRILLINGS,
And a general assortment of Fancy Goods, Cutlery,
etc., etc.,
FIPE-PROOF BRICK BUILDING,
WHARF STREET, Adjoining Royal Hotel,
VICTORIA, V. I.
N. KOSHLAND, Victoria.
S. KOSHLAND, San Francisco.
je3

"Cheap John."
THE WELL KNOWN HOUSE OF "CHEAP
JOHN," EVERYBODY'S FRIEND, has
opened in Yates' Building, Yates street, near corner
of Wharf, and next door to McDonald, the Banker.
It will be well for everybody to call and see us.
Our old customers we know will continue to patronize
us, for they know that our Goods are the best and
cheapest in the market.
All Orders from the country promptly attended to,
at the
Lowest Market Price, for Cash.
Merchants and others will find it to their advan-
tage to call and examine our Stock, as we are always
well supplied with an extensive assortment of Goods,
consisting of
All kinds of Clothing,
BUT EITHER FOR THE MINES OR BALL ROOM
FURNISHING GOODS,
Of every Description;
HATS AND CAPS
In every Style;
BOOTS AND SHOES
From the best Makers;

CUTLERY, PERFUMERY, ACCOR-
DEONS, PLAYING CARDS, TOBAC-
CO, SEGARS, CANDLES, YANKEE
NOTIONS, ETC.
Our motto is "GOOD GOODS FOR LITTLE
MONEY." Terms Cash. Only one price, on the
"No more, no less" principle.
D. & H. SHIRPSER,
Cheap Goods, Auctioneers and Commission
Merchants.
my26 1m

NATHAN POINTER,
IMPORTER AND DEALER IN
Gentlemen's Furnishing Goods
GOVERNMENT STREET,
in the lower story of
British Colonist Fire-Proof Building,
Two doors South of the Post Office, Victoria, V. I.,
Is now prepared to offer the largest assortment of
Gentlemen's Furnishing Goods ever exhibited in
Victoria, consisting of Messrs. Davis & Jones' Patent
Shirts, (of New York), and L. Atkinson's Improved
Shoulder Seam Patent Shirts, (of Philadelphia)
Just received, the latest styles of
BALTIC SHIRTS,
from London. Also, a fine lot of pure Baltic Stock-
ings and Hose, Gents' Shaker Flannel Undershirts and
Drawers. Also, a fine lot of Derby and Saxony
Wool Shirts and Drawers,
White and Colored Marseilles Shirts, a full assortment
Gents' Superfine Manchester Gingham Shirts, a mag-
nificent assortment of
GENTS SILK SCARFS,
a new style of Gents' Fine Cassimere Comforters and
Opera Scarfs, the latest styles of Davis & Jones' cele-
brated superfine patent
White and Colored Shirts,
and is also receiving by every Steamer those beautiful
BYRON SHIRTS,
of all sizes, varying from 13 to 20 inches around the
neck. Ladies should call and examine these
Baltic Stockings,
for winter wear. Orders sent through Express for
Shirts, by sending the size of the neck, I will guar-
antee to fit. Orders filled for all parts of
British Columbia & Puget Sound.
I shall receive fresh Goods by every arrival from
London. Ladies' and Gentlemen's Kid Gloves, ex-
Grecian A fine lot of
GENTLEMEN'S GLOVES,
for the Fall and Winter trade.
—ALSO—
a fine lot of Ladies' and Gentlemen's Silk Umbrellas,
high finish. The Gloves consist of some 75 dozen
pairs, of various kinds. The Grecian Blue Over-
shirts, weighing two and a half pounds, with double
backs. We study to please. Business hours, from 9
A. M. to 10 P. M. je25 6m

FURNITURE.
BY LATE ARRIVAL, THE UNDER-
signed have received additions to their hitherto
well-assorted stock of Furniture—and now offer
RENEWED AND RESTORED ten pieces
EXTENSION TABLES, 8 and 10 feet long;
CENTRE TABLES, Serpentine and round
tops, assorted sizes;
CARD TABLES, harp and square pillars;
COMBON 2 1/2, 3 and 3 1/2 long, with
drawers; also Cherry, Walnut, and painted pine leaf
tables.
BEDSTEADS, Mahogany French, Cottage,
double and single;
LOUNGES, spring seats, in damask and leather
covers;
SOFAS, spring seats, hair cloth, with round and
pillow ends;
DESKS, with fall and door fronts;
CHEFFONNIERS, walnut and mah'ny carved
fronts, 3 shelves, fret work;
BUHAYS, one-half marble top, scroll and
painted pine, 4 and 6 drawers;
WHAT-NOTS, walnut and mahogany, 5 and
6 shelves;
MICROSCOPES, in gilt and mahogany frames, as
sorted sizes, for parlors, chambers and saloons;
CHILDREN'S CRIBS, and cradles, also high and
low chairs, assorted patterns;
CHAIRS, mahogany hair cloth, spring seats,
cane and wood seat, office, oak, dining, Grecian cane,
heavy bar room, and common wood seats;
ROCKERS, spring seats, mahogany and cane
seats and backs, sewing and arm;
SEWING MACHINES, chair cushions, coverlets,
towel racks, willow cribs, &c.
—ALSO—
REDDING,
Pulu, Curled Hair, Moss, Wool, and Straw Mat
tresses, best Feather Pillows, all sizes; in the manu-
facture of which we use none but the best material
and guarantee our work.
PERCE & SEYMOUR,
Broad street, between Yates and View
Victoria, V. I., Feb 22. my23-1m2p

NOTARY PUBLIC.
MR. DRAKE, OF GOVERNMENT STREET
has received the appointment of Notary Pub-
lic for these Colonies.
my24 1m

FOR SALE - TO LET.

Brick Cottage to Let.
ONE OF THOSE NEAT TWO-STORY
Brick Cottages on Rae street, near the Church
Reserve, is offered for rent low to a good tenant.
Apply to
WM. ROWLAND,
Yates street, opposite the swamp,
or to
A. STENHOUSE,
Yates street, near Commercial.
je8 1f

Brick Store to Let,
ADJOINING THE ROYAL HOTEL.
Also, a large HALL suitable for Balls or pub-
lic meetings. Apply to
JAMES WILSON,
Royal Hotel.
je8 1f

For Lease,
FOR A LONG PERIOD,
Ten Acres of Beautiful Property,
CLOSE BY ST. JOHN'S CHURCH,
forming Suburban Lots Nos VIII and XIII, ex-
tending from Quadra street through Cook street;
newly fenced in and nearly all cleared. Admirably
adapted for Agricultural purposes. Gardens, and
Pleasure Grounds. The soil is of the very best kind.
For particulars apply to **EDWARD GREEN,** at
Sam'l Price & Co's or to **LD. LOWENBERG,** Gov-
ernment street. je6 1f

TO LEASE.
PART OF GONZALES FARM, IN VIC-
toria District, is offered for Lease. The part
offered will be subdivided in parcels to suit those
who are desirous of obtaining it. The terms of Lease
will be made moderate and a long time given. The
position of this piece of Land, being near town, and
the quality of the Land itself, nearly all clear, make
it very desirable for gardening purposes and country
residences. For particulars inquire at
LEO. LOWENBERG'S,
No. 36 Government st.,
bet Fort and Broughton streets.
je1 1m

FOR SALE.
A Valuable Steam Sawmill,
With all the Necessary Apparatus,
DWELLING HOUSES, &c
THE SUBSCRIBERS OFFER FOR
sale, on easy terms, and free from all incum-
brance, their
SAWMILL AT SOOKE,
—AND—
600,000 feet of Saw Logs
In the vicinity of the Mills and convenient to the
water, with a fine tract of land densely wooded, the
timber being mostly red fir and spruce.
The Mill is driven by an 80-horse power Engine,
having a capacity of working 40,000 feet of lumber
in the 24 hours.
The proximity of this property to Victoria and
the facilities for supplying the market with lumber
at a very low rate, render it one of the best and
safest investments in the colony.
For price and further particulars apply to the
subscribers, or to Macdonald & Co., Yates street, for
the Messrs. Muir.
my28 1m **MICHAEL MUIR.**

TO LET CHEAP.
THE BUILDING ON BROAD STREET
between Yates and Fort streets, known as As-
sembly Hall.
my29 1m Apply to **MACDONALD & CO.**

FOR SALE.
The El Dorado Saloon,
NEW WESTMINSTER, B. C.
THE BUILDING, BAR FIXTURES,
Furniture, two Billiard Tables, marble beds,
one pocket and one carom, Bagatelle Table, and the
entire stock of Liquors, together with the good will
of the concern. To be sold separately or complete.
For particulars and terms, apply on the premises, or
to **P. MAXEITA, Victoria.** 18je *

FOR SALE.
IMPROVED PROPERTY ON YATES
street, 70 feet frontage by 125 feet deep, being Lot
No. 186 and 10 feet of Lot 187. For further particu-
lars apply to
REID & McDONALD,
Wharf street.
my25 1m

To Rent! To Rent!
A FIREPROOF STORE.
TO RENT—THE FIREPROOF BRICK STORE
in the "Colonist Building," Government street,
near the Post Office; will be rented low, if applica-
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